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SPECIFICATION:

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On Page 4, third paragraph, replace with the following new paragraph:

The lifting device 46 pivots on the front frame assembly 20 at one end thereof, and pivots on one of the front leg assembly 42 and the rear leg assembly 44 at the other end thereof. As for the relation among the aforesaid end portions, more specifically, the front leg assembly 42 of the lifting mechanism 40 comprises two opposing front legs 421, whereas the rear leg assembly 44 comprises two opposing rear legs 441. Each of the front legs 421 pivots at its rear end on a rear end of each of the front frames 21, whereas each of the rear legs 441 pivots at his front end pivots at its front end on a front end of each of the front frames 21. As for the slidable pivoting design between each front leg 421 and each rear leg 441, as shown in the cross sectional view in FIG. 2, a roller 422 is disposed at an outer side of each of the front legs 421 with a sliding space being defined in the interior of each of the rear legs 441. Such a sliding space 442 can also be confined to a space, as shown in FIG. 2, which is defined between two guiding flanges 443, according to the size of the roller 422 and the actual sliding path as needed for operation. In such a case, the roller 422 of each of the front legs 421 is adapted to roll in the sliding space 442 of each of the rear legs 441, in order to enable each of the front legs 421 to be able to slidably pivot on each of the rear legs 441.

On Page 6, second paragraph, replace with the following new paragraph:

When the user intends to collapse the treadmill 1, it is only required to release the front and read frame front and rear frame assemblies 20, 30 to be a horizontal status (with reference to FIG. 3) and then to flip over the rear frame assembly 20 rear frame assembly 30 upward, along the pivoting position 33 on which the front and rear frame assemblies 20 and 30 pivots each other (with reference to FIGS. 6 and 7). There is completely no need to take any procedure of releasing the engagement before collapsing and fastening the engagement after collapsing.